

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 28, with the following amended paragraph:

The housing 4-2 houses a lamp 3, which may be e.g. a flash lamp, a halogen incandescent lamp or a laser, without excluding other kinds of light source. Here, as in the whole of the application, "light" refers to the part of the electromagnetic spectrum having wavelengths between about 300 nm and 1500 nm, i.e. ultraviolet to (medium wave) infrared radiation. The spectrum may be continuous or monochromatic, and the radiation may be emitted continuously or intermittently, as e.g. in a pulsed laser or a flash lamp.